

LONG TIME BETWEEN RIDES

M. E. Card sailed in Balloon From Casenovia to West Ononta 50 Years Ago—Takes Airplane Ride in Florida.

Last Thursday's issue of the Casenovia Republican carried an interesting extract from a newspaper printed at Fort Pierce, Fla. in which mention is made of M. E. Card, pioneer pineapple grower of that place, who recently enjoyed a hydroplane flight. The clipping says:

"Some people may consider it a long time between drinks, but with M. E. Card, who resides four miles south of Ft. Pierce, it has been a long time between aerial flights.

"Fifty years ago or 32 years before Curtis made his first aeroplane flight, Mr. Card made a first in an old-fashioned gas bag in company with a man named King, who was on his 16th flight.

"The trip was from Casenovia to West Ononta, N. Y., a distance of 40 miles in two hours' time, reaching at one time a height of 13,000 feet. It was a cloudy day, hence Mr. Card passed through the clouds.

"The balloon landed in a chestnut tree at West Ononta, and Mr. Card who was in Fort Pierce celebrating on Thursday, had in his pocket some of the chestnuts he picked from the old chestnut tree.

"On Thursday, while attending the first celebration, Mr. Card took his second flight, this time in the hydroplane from which Miss Madeline Davis made a parachute leap. Mr. Card was given a spark plug as a souvenir of this flight, so that now he has for luck a spark plug in one pocket and chestnuts in the other.

"Mr. Card came here 40 years ago, when there were but three houses in Fort Pierce.

"The Casenovia Republican, which, by the way, is much older than the event above recorded, being now in its 11th year, states that many still living recall the flight, and that several young men of the community had agreed to take the flight with King, but that when it came only Card showed up. The balloon and its occupants were soon lost in the clouds, but after long waiting into the evening the following telegram was received and read amid great applause from the Lincoln house porch:

"Arrived in West Ononta safe and sound. Signed M. E. Card"

The Hat Shop

Is where you get our bargains in up-to-the-minute millinery. Come and see. Miss Hillen, 10 Washington street.

SMITH FATALLY INJURED

Worcester Farmer sustains Ruptured Intestine When Gasoline Engine Falls Upon Him and Dies at Wanauna Sanatorium Here.

Owen Smith, a farmer, aged 37 years, residing about four miles from Worcester village, died at the Wanauna Sanatorium in this city Sunday morning at about 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning, after a long illness. He was at work in the barn upon his farm. He was at work around a gasoline engine when it fell over upon him. He managed to extricate himself and to reach the house. Dr. Bolt was called and administered such relief as was possible.

The man was unfortunate in that he had an intestinal hernia and it is believed that the intestine was protruding at the time and that this loop was ruptured by the accident, for the man began to manifest serious symptoms when Dr. Bolt reached him at about 3:30 that afternoon.

On Saturday his condition was so serious that it was thought best to bring him to Ononta, which was done. He began to show signs of collapse when the sanatorium was reached and he died steadily until the end came.

This body was removed to the home of a brother, Joseph Smith, residing at 25 Brook street. It will be taken to Worcester on Wednesday morning and the funeral will be held from St. Mary's church in that village at 10:30 o'clock that morning and interment made in the cemetery there.

The deceased was a well-known resident of that locality. He was unmarried. He leaves three brothers, Jerome and Leo Smith, residing at Worcester, and Joseph Smith of this city, one sister, Miss Julia Smith, residing at the family home in Worcester, and a brother-in-law, William Moore, of Stamford.

Moose Hold Watch Party.

About 100 hundred members of the Loyal Order of Moose and of the Women of Mooseheart Legion were present at a watch night party held at the Moose club rooms Saturday evening. Dinner was served at 10 o'clock and was followed by a social hour until the New Year was ushered in. The affair proved highly enjoyable to all.

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QUIET NEW YEAR'S WEDDING

Margaret H. Watkeys, One of City's Best Known Young Women, Becomes Bride of Dr. Heggstad, a Bochner of Syracuse University.

Dr. Reginald Stephen Bochner of Syracuse university and Margaret Huntington Watkeys, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick D. Watkeys of 48 Dixie street, this city, were married at 2 o'clock yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian church, parsonage, the Rev. Dr. J. C. Russell officiating. The wedding was a quiet one, only members of the families and a few intimate friends being present. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Watkeys and their daughter, Miss Dorothy, Mr. Watkeys being a brother of the bride, were the only attendants of the couple. Following the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Bochner left for Syracuse, where a furnished apartment awaits them.

The bride is a member of one of the city's best known and most respected families and is a young lady of rare personality and of exceptional talents, her ability in the field of painting and decorative art being widely recognized in the city. Following a course at the Ononta High school she entered the College of Fine Arts at Syracuse university, being graduated therefrom in 1913 with highest honors, having won several prizes for work in painting and decorating. Following the completion of a post graduate course in the department of painting she accepted a position as an instructor in that department, which position she will continue to occupy.

A brilliant student and an artist of proven ability, she has a bright future ahead of her. Practically a life long resident of Ononta, she has many friends here who will wish her only the best of good fortune.

Dr. Bochner is a native of Nova Scotia and a graduate of Dalhousie college at Halifax. Following a post graduate course at McGill university and two years special study in his chosen field of chemistry in Berlin, Germany, Dr. Bochner became professor of organic chemistry at Syracuse and is recognized as one of the most brilliant and popular members of the faculty of that university.

Births.

Born, Saturday, Dec. 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jester of 10 Center street, an eight pound daughter who has been named Charlotte Carrie.

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FINANCIAL OPINION

IS REASSURED OVER PROSPECTS FOR '22

Final Week of Memorable Year Attended by Bewildering Movements Which Usually Mark That Type of Period

New York, Jan. 1.—The final week of one of the most memorable years in the financial and general economic history of the country was attended by the bewildering movements which usually mark that type of period.

Finding in stocks was moderately active, even though public or outside interest seems to be almost entirely restricted to selling by individuals and corporations for purposes of establishing income tax returns.

This also was true in lesser degree of the bond list, but liquidation in that quarter was neutralized, if not wholly offset, by the confidence with which new underwritings were absorbed.

Views of competent observers regarding the new year's industrial and commercial prospects were reassuring for what Wall street calls the long pull.

Opinions were further qualified, however, by the realization that the 1921 foreign trade record will show an enormous shrinkage from that of the previous year.

Figures already available indicate that imports for the year will be curtailed by fully 50 percent, while exports are expected to show a decrease of 40 to 45 percent.

Foodstuffs forming the principal item of reduction. Aside from the strong investment inquiry for high-grade securities, the more hopeful feature of the past week was the relaxing trend of money rates.

Despite the customary year-end "wind-down" by financial institutions, (all loans renewed at an average of 4 percent and time funds extending into next March were obtainable at the same figure.)

January's release of interest and dividend payments, while smaller than that of the two preceding years, should prove sufficient to insure a continuance of low rates and give additional impetus to the investment industry.

Recent tendencies in the steel and iron trade, the concurrent strength of equipment shares, and news that mining of copper soon is to be resumed in the Montana district, were among the heartening aspects of the industrial situation. In textile, rubber and leather, pronounced increases of production also were reported.

Foreign exchanges showed a strong undertone.

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No Pac	744	744	744	744
Pac O	172	172	172	172
Pan Am Pl	234	234	234	234
Penn	332	332	332	332
Pan Am B	481	481	481	481
Pou Gas	632	632	632	632
Pierce Ar	117	117	117	117
Pitt W Va	143	143	143	143
Pure Oil	654	654	654	654
Ray Con	154	154	154	154
Reading	728	728	728	728
Rep I S	312	312	312	312
Rock Is	322	322	322	322
Royal D N Y	308	308	308	308
Sinclair Oil	212	212	212	212
South Pac	79	79	78	78
South Ry	181	181	18	18
S O N J pfd	1143	1143	1143	1143
Studeb	322	322	322	322
S L and S F	212	212	21	21
Sears Ro	641	641	642	642
Tex Coal	26	26	26	26
Texas Co	46	46	46	46
Texas Pac	27	27	26	26
Tob Prod	63	63	62	62
Trans Oil	11	11	10	10
Union Pac	1252	1252	1252	1252
Unl R S	612	612	612	612
U S Food	102	102	10	10
U S Rub	54	54	54	54
U Steel	832	832	832	832
Utah Cop	64	64	63	63
Vandm	312	312	312	312
Va Chem	29	29	29	29
Vidua	64	64	63	63
Wabash	62	62	62	62
do pfd	204	204	204	204
Weathe	508	508	508	508
Willam-O	32	32	32	32
W U Tel	908	908	908	908
Union Oil	181	181	182	182

New York Produce.

Butter — Steady; receipts, 6,421. Creamery, higher than extras, 40¢; 40%, creamery extras (92 score), 38½¢; fatts (88 to 92 score), 35¢; 39, state dairy fines, 33¢; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 25¢.

Eggs — Weak; receipts, 10,373; fresh gathered, extra fatts, 48¢; do, firsts, 44¢; New Jersey hen-nery whites, extra fancy candled selections, 70¢, nearby and nearby western henry whites, firsts to average extras, 55¢; do, henry browns, extras, 52¢; do, nearby gathered browns and mixed colors, firsts to extras, 45¢; refrigerator firsts, 34¢; 32¢.

Cheese — Steady; receipts, 1,010; state, whole milk flats, fresh specials, 21½¢; do, average run, 20½¢; 21; state, whole milk towns, specials 21½¢; do, average run, 20½¢; 21.

New York Meats.

Cattle — Receipts, 540, no trading. Calves — Receipts, 300; steady; veals, \$9.50; 16¢; little calves and culls, \$5.00; 1.50; heavy calves, \$4.00; 5.00; western calves, \$6.00; 5.50.

Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 4,910; steady, ewe sheep, \$3.00; 5.00; culls, \$2.00; 2.50; yearlings, \$5.00; 7.00; lambs, \$5.50; 12.50; culls, \$6.00; 7.00.

Hogs — Receipts, 3,230, weak, medium to light weights at pigs, \$8.75; 9.00, heavy hogs, \$8.00; 8.50; roughs, \$5.00; 5.50.

Chicago Grain.

Open High Low Close
Dec. 110 110 109 109
Mar 112 112 111 111
July 108 108 107 107

CORN.

Dec. 47 47 46 46
Mar 54 54 53 53
July 54 54 53 53

OATS.

Dec. 22 22 21 21
Mar 33 33 32 32
July 39 39 38 38

ONEONTA MARKET.

Grain and Feed at Retail.
Wheat bran \$1.52
Buckwheat, cwt \$2.00
Oats, per bu \$1.51
Ground oats \$1.75
Pottery grains \$2.00
Gluten feed \$3.66
Corn meal, cwt \$1.12
Clacked corn, cwt \$1.42
Corn per bu old 76
Table meal \$4.50
Corn and oats \$1.60

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FANNIE HURST

Author of "HUMORESQUE"

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I'm a rather querulous picture goer, not half satisfied with conditions, but seeing the "Four Horsemen" has renewed my faith in the enormous potentialities of the screen.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) FANNIE HURST

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A PROSPEROUS OUTLOOK.

The weekly review of market and financial matters sent out on Saturday by the well-known banking house of Henry Clews & Co. of New York, speaks encouragingly of present conditions and of the outlook throughout the country for the new year. The closing of the year 1921, it says, "evincedly marked a transition to better conditions, both in business, industry and finance. The outlook for the year 1922 can honestly and positively be described as improved. It is not all that could be hoped and the prospects clearly point to gradual rather than to sudden or boom development during the new year. Economic life, already known of what is to come, both in domestic and foreign affairs, to make it certain that conditions will develop more prosperously, under safe and conservative public and private financial policy, than has been possible during 1921."

The encouraging factor upon which all progress for 1922 will be built is the fact that business is evidently far more nearly stabilized than at any time since the opening of the war. Prices during the past three months have been practically free from fluctuation of any considerable amount, remaining fixed at about 40 percent above pre-war levels. Elimination of much of the unsteady element in our bank portfolios has strengthened the credit situation, while many industrial concerns have written off losses and put themselves into good condition to meet competitive conditions during the coming year. Some industries are fully re-adjusted to new conditions, prominent among them being agriculture, while in not a few manufacturing lines the evident reduction of raw material to a permanent basis of price has been accompanied by at least a reasonable readjustment of wages, thereby rendering a larger volume of trade practicable.

According to recent estimates of the Census bureau the year's output of manufactured products for 1921 was \$23,000,000,000; and on this basis the output for 1922 may amount to \$25,000,000,000, while that for 1922 may be as high as \$45,000,000,000. This is a forecast and as such subject to modification, but the facts already at hand show that with rising prices in copper, cotton, and in many other basic materials a good demand for existing accumulations may be looked for, the product taken off the market being at once used to work up finished goods for immediate sale. In fact, during the year 1921 there has been a very great depletion both of stocks of raw materials held over from the preceding year and of manufactured commodities which were being carried by sellers. In many cases, at or near the old prices at which they had been acquired. The last two months of the year have shown a very decided advance in the activity of business, and there is every reason to suppose that this will continue and grow more pronounced as the new year grows older. Particularly in steel has the foundation been laid for a decided revival whose beginnings are already evident, proceeding as they do from an increased necessity for building materials and for railroad construction. The railroads themselves, although they have had by no means an easy year are now looking forward to distinctly better conditions, basing their hopes not only upon the larger returns of the past few months, but upon the growth of conservatism among the public.

"Erroneous public policy and unexpected misfortunes to general business may cause temporary setbacks, but the market trend is now quite definitely upward. The extension of the strength of the situation from bonds and preferred stocks to the less conservative elements in the securities list may be looked for, so as early restoration of dividends by good many concerns which have suspended or reduced them is now to be predicted."

Farmers Make Prosperity.

When Downsville had a cigar factory, employing 30 hands, an excelsior factory, employing about 20 laborers, and a tannery giving work to a like number, there was not a chance as it may seem, the degree of prosperity that this section enjoys today. Why? Because farmers were few in this region and the products of the farm were sold at prices that enabled the tillers of the soil barely to live—[Downsville News]

Supervisors to Organize.

The newly elected board of supervisors of Otsego county will meet at their chambers at the Court House in Cooperstown on Tuesday, January 3d, for organization. A new chairman to succeed Mr. Brown of Plainfield, who is retiring after ten years of valuable service, will be elected and doubtless the standing committees will be appointed.

Meetings at West Oneonta.

The Women's Mite society will hold an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Carl Weather. Ladies bring covered dish their own dishes and come prepared to be bedquilt. The week of prayer will be observed by the churches of the village. Tuesday and Wednesday night in the First Baptist church and Thursday and Friday in the Free Baptist.

A Suggestion From the South.

It might be a good idea to use the nose of the old wars on to poverty so that poverty can't finance any new wars.—[Columbia Record.]

Knocking a Sovereign State.

North Carolina leads all the other states in the birth rate, but it does not mean anything. One seldom hears of a North Carolinian after he is born.—[Philadelphia Inquirer.]

Bandit Who Assaulted Wallace Still At Large

Police Believe Job Was Done By Amateur Who Suffered "Stage Fright" and Failed to Secure Wallace's \$1,200 Roll; "Victim" Leaves Hospital

Despite strenuous endeavors on the part of the police department to identify and apprehend him, the bandit who assaulted George Wallace in his second-hand store at 21 Broad street early Saturday morning is still at large. The police officials are working on several leads but are handicapped as the man left absolutely no clue as to his identity.

Wallace was discharged from the Fox Memorial hospital yesterday and is now at the home of his son, Floyd Wallace, 5 Gardner place. His scalp wounds are painful, but it is thought that they will prove serious. In his conversation with the police, Wallace gave several facts not available to The Star at the time of the crime and which throw some light on the matter.

Wallace, who lives in the rear of his shop, left the place about 8 o'clock Friday evening to visit friends. He returned about 11 but noticed nothing wrong about the store. His fire was low and after firing it, he decided to sit down for a few minutes to see if it needed more care. Accordingly he made himself comfortable in a chair near the stove with his feet upon a bench, and soon fell asleep. He was awakened about 1 o'clock by the first blow which his assailant struck him. Wallace had settled down into the chair and his head was some inches below the top of the chair back, which made it necessary for the man behind him to strike over and down. The blow inflicted a deep cut on Wallace's forehead and caused him to slump forward in the chair, whereupon the robber struck him a blow on the back of the head, knocking him to the floor.

Two Men Scuffle.

As the man circled the chair, Wallace grabbed him by a leg and pulled him to the floor. In the scuffle that ensued Wallace received three more blows on the side of the head. Extricating himself from his opponent's clutches, Wallace hurried into a side room for his revolver. The bandit going into the front room, Wallace ran to the back door, firing his revolver into the air to attract attention. The robber was either unable to get out of the front door, Wallace having barred it as his keys, left by mistake in the door, had been stolen during the afternoon, or else he saw through the window Officers O'Dell and Simmons, who were about in front of the shop at the time. At any rate, he ran back through the store, ducked past Wallace, and, jumping off the rear porch, ran in the direction of South Main street. Wallace fired once at him but evidently missed his mark.

Upon their search of the shop Saturday morning, the police found dust disturbed under a bench piled with mattresses and it is their belief that the man had made his entrance while Wallace was out and was hiding under the bench upon his return. A heavy iron wrench found lying near the stove was evidently the weapon with which the assault was made. Wallace used the wrench for shaking down his fire and had missed it when he fired the first shot. He is positive that the wrench was not near the stove when he looked for it and believes that the man had it with him while he fled.

The firing of two shots within a short time of each other was the first indication that anything was wrong. Wallace's shop had that anything was wrong. Officers O'Dell and Simmons were walking up Broad street on the side of the street where the shop is located and probably were directly in front of the place when the assault occurred. They heard no commotion, however, until they had proceeded a little further up the street, when the first shot rang out, and there came a cry for help. They immediately got into action, O'Dell running down the alley between the Y. M. C. A. and the Twentieth Century lunch room, while Simmons went down Broad street and through the vacant lot just below the grocery store. The two officers met at the rear of the shop but no trace was to be found of the man, and Wallace was unable to tell in which direction he went.

No Trace of Assailant.

As Wallace required attention, owing to his injuries, Officer Simmons gave up the chase and assisted him back to the lunch room, from where the ambulance was called. Sergeant O'Dell continued to look for Wallace's assailant, but the search proved fruitless. He then returned to headquarters and called Chief Horton on the case. D and H detectives also tendered their services.

One of the first clues which seemed to offer good possibilities was that furnished by Harold Rutick, night clerk at the Twentieth Century. He told the police that when he can't work Rutick is sitting in the office a man in a woman standing in front of Wallace's shop and they evidently seemed much interested in the interior of the shop. Rutick took no particular notice of the incident and was unable to give a full description of the pair, although he noticed the man,



BETTY COMPTON, Prisoner of Love

Hathaway's Oneonta Theatre Today—20:30, 7 and 9 p. m.

TO START ICE HARVEST

Oneonta Ice and Fuel Company Will Commence Operations on Goodyear Lake Wednesday—Harvest Will Take 40 to 50 Men a Month.

With continuance of the present cold weather, the Oneonta Ice and Fuel company will start the ice harvest on Wednesday, cutting on Goodyear lake first and then proceeding to the Pond Lily and Electric Light dam fields. It is expected that the harvesting of the 3,600 tons which the ice company intends to store will give at least a month's work to from 40 to 50 men.

The ice on Goodyear lake measured 8 1/2 inches on Saturday and it is the hope of Manager Lunn that the depth will be increased to 18 inches by Wednesday. It is not considered profitable to harvest ice under the latter thickness and unless the cold wave continues the harvest will be postponed. Regardless of the temperature, however, the field will be marked and ploughed on Tuesday. With the motor saw equipment used by the company this procedure should not take more than a day, permitting the cutting to be commenced on Wednesday morning.

It is expected to cut 5,000 tons at Goodyear lake. The storage plant, with the addition recently completed, will hold 4,000 tons and the remaining thousand tons will be stacked. The cutting and loading machinery, new last year, has been thoroughly overhauled and all is in readiness, according to Manager Lunn, to begin operations. From 40 to 50 extra men will be required this year, all but two or three of the regular men being needed to look after the coal business of the company.

Upon the completion of the harvest at Goodyear lake activities will be transferred to Pond Lily where it is hoped to be able to cut 3,000 tons, the capacity of the storage plant there. Ice on that body of water generally runs about two inches thinner than elsewhere but it is thought that it will be of a satisfactory thickness by the time the harvest at Goodyear is finished. It is also hoped to obtain from 500 to 1,000 tons from the Electric Light dam for storage at the Railroad avenue ice house. The quantity and quality of ice on that lake is always a matter of uncertainty and the 1,000 tons to be stacked at Goodyear lake is intended as a reserve in case the harvest at the Electric Light pond is unsatisfactory.

The harvest will start this year nearly two weeks earlier than last season, operations then not beginning until January 20. The supply stored last year was not quite sufficient to carry the company through the extremely hot weather of the past summer and fall, but the building of the additional storage unit at Goodyear makes it certain that there will be a sufficient quantity of ice to supply the city's needs during the coming summer no matter what weather conditions prevail.

Changing the Figure.

It is supposed that the sphere of influence shall give way to the square deal—[St. Louis Post-Dispatch.]

Buckley Bros. company wish to announce to their patrons that laundry will be collected and delivered as usual on Monday, Jan. 2nd, advt 2t

Victory Coat Suits is guaranteed to save a lot of use of coal used. A. U. Ingelham, distributor. advt 2t

CHEVIOT SHEEP BREEDERS.

Annual Meeting Saturday at Cooperstown—W. T. Hyde President.

The annual meeting of the American Cheviot Sheep Society, Inc., was held on Saturday last at the New Fenimore hotel in Cooperstown. The regular routine business of the society was transacted and report of officers read, after which officers were elected as follows:

President—William T. Hyde of Cooperstown.
Vice President—Kent Clark of Indiana.

Secretary and Treasurer—George W. Lough of Hartwick.
Director, four years—J. A. Curry of Hartwick.

Director, one year to fill vacancy—H. L. Cunningham of Cooperstown.

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On all White Voile and Organdie Dresses Sizes 2 to 14 years.

Gingham Dresses; values to \$3.00; at	\$1.95
Gingham Dresses; values to \$2.00; at	95c
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Children's Fur Sets

1-2 Price

Ladies' House Dresses

Values to \$5.00; Special at	\$2.95
Values to \$3.50; Special at	\$1.95

Ladies' Outing Gowns

Extra size and quality; \$4.00 value. Special \$2.50

Ladies' Extra Large Size Waists

\$3.50 value. Special at	\$2.25
\$3.00 value. Special at	\$1.95
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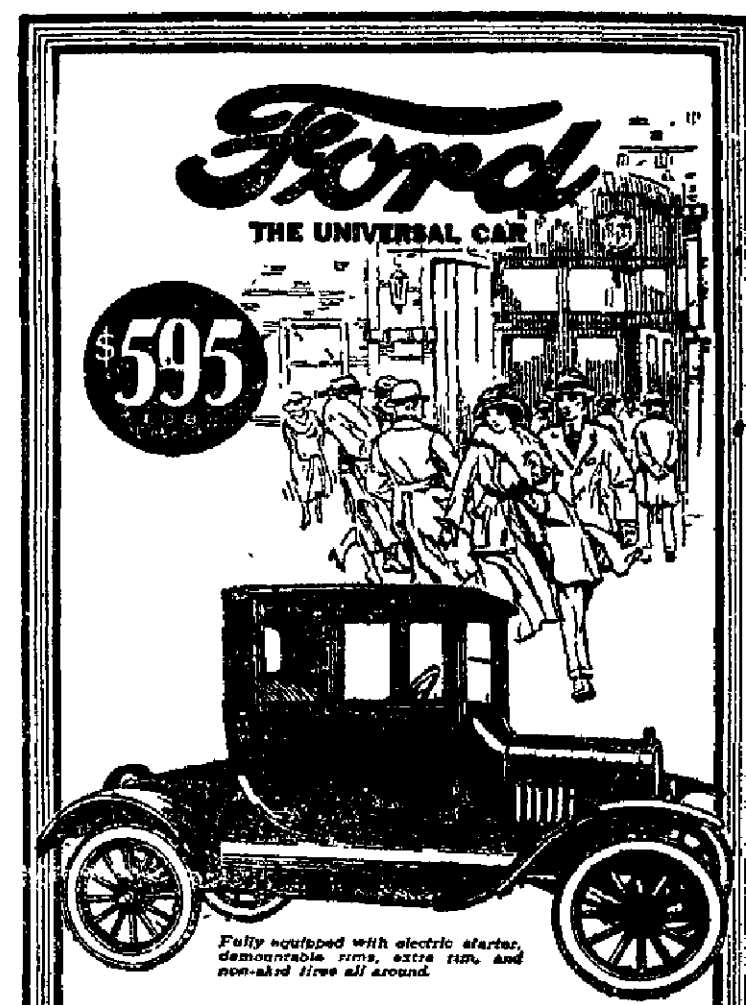
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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

Sunday.
8 a. m. 26
2 p. m. 23
8 p. m. 13
Maximum 34 Minimum 11
Rainfall .08 in.
Saturday.
8 a. m. 27
2 p. m. 30
8 p. m. 22
Maximum 34 Minimum 3

LOCAL MENTION

—Born, New Year's day, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stanton of 29 Dietz street, at the Fox Memorial hospital, a daughter, Constance Iona.

—Attention is called to the fact that this afternoon is "open house" at the Y. M. C. A., when all persons interested in the work of the association among the young men of the city are cordially invited to be present.

—No Recreation club dance will be held tonight, the next of the regular Monday evening dances at the High school being scheduled for next week and continuing without interruption. The Synopsors have been secured to furnish orchestra music for the balance of the season.

—The postoffice will be open today until 10 a. m. There will be no delivery of mail by city or rural carriers, and mail for city routes cannot be given out on account of the limited number of employees on duty. Mail will be collected in business sections of the city and dispatched to outlying towns as usual.

—The "Stream of Life," a motion picture issued by a church film corporation, will be presented at the First Presbyterian church this evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. This photograph has the endorsement of many prominent clergymen and is secured at considerable expense by the Oneonta Y. M. C. A. The public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission charge.

WAIVES EXTRADITION

Chief Horton and Sheriff Williams Start for Little Rock, Ark., After D. C. DeGroat.

Chief of Police Horton and Sheriff Williams left Saturday evening for Little Rock, Arkansas, to bring back to this city D. C. DeGroat, arrested in the western city on Friday on a warrant issued by the Oneonta police and charging him with grand larceny in the first degree. The men are due in Little Rock this afternoon and should return Thursday or Friday with their prisoner.

A telegram from Little Rock stating that DeGroat would waive extradition was the occasion for the sudden departure of the officers. District Attorney Pierson had started proceedings to secure the necessary extradition papers but doubtless some little time would have elapsed before DeGroat could have been brought to New York state had he not waived his legal right.

Meetings Today.

Stated communication Oneonta lodge, No. 466, F. & A. M., this evening at 8 o'clock. Installation of officers.

Regulating meeting of E. R. C. in Treanor's hall tonight at 8 o'clock. Full attendance.

Business meeting of the Knights of Birmingham at Masonic hall tonight immediately after lodge session. All members are requested to be present.

Meetings Tuesday.

The annual meeting of the Oneonta Business Woman's club will be held at the Community house on Ford avenue Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Election of officers.

The Loyal Star auxiliary to E. R. C. of A. will serve a supper Tuesday evening in the E. R. C. hall at 6 p. m. to its members and their families. Following this will be installation of officers.

Stated meeting of Martha chapter, No. 116, O. E. S., Tuesday evening at 7:30. Installation of officers. Banquet at 8:30.

Notice.

No one need worry about my having any accounts charged to Charles Shuttles for I could not get trusted on his account when I lived with him. I took in washing and worked out and took care of myself and three boys, and during the six years since he left me the town of Milford took care of me, and can now, if necessary. Jessie M. Shuttles. advt. 17

Coal Prices Change.

Our customers will receive immediate benefit of removal of war tax on freight. This reduction in our costs prompts us to reduce our retail prices ten cents per net ton on all domestic coals. New prices effective today: Eggs, \$12.45; stove and chestnut, \$12.80; pea, \$11.45. Coal office open with usual deliveries today. Phone 194. Oneonta Ice and Fuel company. advt. 17

To the Public.

Having purchased the grocery business of W. H. Fay at 240 Main street, I most cordially solicit the patronage of the public and assure you of the same prompt service and courteous attention in the future as you have received in the past. Yours very truly, W. J. Davis. Phone 561. advt. 21

Dr. Shoemaker, Optometrist, of Colkitt, will be in his office here on Wednesday, Jan. 4th, to examine eyes and furnish glasses. Entrance 159 Main street, Bresco block, or through department store, upstairs one flight, room 6. Hours, 11:00 to 3:30. advt. 17

Fresh roasted coffee beans, freshly ground, are essential in order to make good coffee. If you like that kind, get Ousego coffee. It's always fresh. advt. 61

Bank four—Late model, fine condition. Bargain at \$295.00 cash and \$25.00 per month for 8 months. Francis Motor Sales company. advt. 17

New Year's dinner today at the Windsor hotel from 1:00 to 2:30. Price \$1.00. advt. 21

B. R. C. regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in Treanor's hall. Regular business, followed by initiation. advt. 17

Open house at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon. Everybody welcome. advt. 17

Last—An automobile robe. Liberal reward for its return. Mr. P. J. McManamin, 3 Grove street. advt. 31

BRIDGING THE PACIFIC

Close Student of Japan and Its Relations With United States Pleads for a Better and Closer Understanding of Each of the Other's Aims and Purposes—Discusses Some of Existing Problems. Urges that Reason, Not Prejudice, be Applied.

At the First Methodist church yesterday morning and evening addresses were given by a native of Japan, Satoshi Katsukuni, a young man of 32 years, who after graduating from a Mission school in his native country, has pursued his studies at the University of Michigan and is about to receive his degree after completing a post graduate course in International law. He is now connected with the Japanese embassy at Washington and is the official interpreter for his country's delegation at the arms conference in session at the national capital.

At the morning service he discussed "Bridging the Pacific," which he declared he wished to discuss not as a partisan, but impartially and from the Christian standpoint. He declared the bridge sought is not one of concrete and iron, but the rather one of friendship and mutual understanding. He said that there must be brought a better understanding each of the others feelings and sympathies, aims and purposes. He condemned assuming that newspaper articles can give this for they are more or less biased and the headings misleading. It is dangerous to generalize, unjust to think of all Americans because of deeds committed by certain cases of our people, and even so, Japan is composed of many different elements. Coming here, it is difficult to understand the American people without coming closely in touch with them, their literature, their history and their view point.

He declared that only recently has Japan become possessed of the ideas which dominate the western civilization and he commended its helping to bridge the chasm between the two peoples, the exchange of college professors, the visit of natives, each to the other land, the fraternizing as among athletes, and these he said are helping greatly to clear up popular misconceptions each of the other. Before assuming that Japan is attempting too much in the Far East, we should secure a clearer understanding of what she is doing and aiming to do, he declared.

At the evening service after a flattering introductory by Dr. Johns the speaker discussed more specifically some of the questions that are uppermost in the problems of the Far East. Dr. Johns declared that America must think along international lines and accept that humanity is more important than nationalism. He said that Japan never held so high a place in the esteem of Americans than since the position of the former in international questions has been made clear at the arms conference.

Referring to the 21 demands made by Japan upon China the speaker declared that these were recognized quite generally in Japan as having been a diplomatic blunder and need not receive serious consideration. Japan looks with favor upon the four great treaty, though it abrogates the Anglo-Japanese alliance. She feels that her position on the Shantung question cannot be justly assailed and the protest made by China is sustained more strenuously by Great Britain and France than by Japan. The problem of Yank was settled upon the only basis possible, that of exact equality, with America on the same footing as any Japanese citizen. Japan approves the consortium, not as a governmental function but as a necessary action, a test of a method of remedying evils known to exist.

Before closing the speaker declared the assumption that any nation in the light of history will depend upon physical power and that his country unites heartily in limiting the machinery of war and quoted one of Japan's trusted leaders as declaring that any thought of a war between America and Japan would be suicidal for the latter. In closing he appealed for reason, declaring that prejudice is the worst enemy to the proper solution of international problems.

Lecture on "The American Boy." Dr. Russell gave an interesting illustrated lecture on "The American Boy" at the First Presbyterian church last evening before a good sized audience composed largely of boys. The necessity of sports in the development of a boy was particularly emphasized, but the importance of a boy thinking about more serious things was also referred to. A number of timely stereoscopic slides illustrated the lecture and proved of much interest to the youngsters, and the older people too. The pictures depicted the physical and spiritual development of a boy from the time of his infancy until he had grown into manhood.

A. R. Benedict Sells Residence. A. R. Benedict has sold his residence at 18 East street, which he has occupied for the past 25 years, to E. D. Tinker, who will have possession January 20. Mr. Benedict expects to move to a residence and will of course continue to devote his attention to his long-established shoe business. Mr. Tinker, who is a traveling salesman residing at 18 East street, has not decided whether he will move into the Benedict residence or lease it to other parties.

We have several old cars that in order to make room, we will sell at \$50.00, \$75.00, \$100.00, \$125.00 and \$150.00 each. Some would make good trucks, others would cut down into a speedster very nicely. First come, first pick. The Francis Motor Sales company. advt. 17

Men Wanted for Ice Harvest. Employment for 20 men at Good-year lake plant. Wages, 30 cents per hour, nine-hour day. Apply at Railroad avenue ice house 6 15 a. m. Wednesday prepared to go to work. Oneonta Ice and Fuel company. advt. 21

Coal deliveries will be made today as usual. Please order to Prospect street yard office. Phone 194. Note change in prices effective today. Oneonta Ice and Fuel company. advt. 17

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Nash six—\$500.00 cash and \$10.00 per month for ten months. The Francis Motor Sales company. advt. 17

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JOYOUS CELEBRATION

New Year's Eve Dinner at The Oneonta Well Patronized, Diners Experiencing Delight With the Songs by Miss Corlew, Grand Opera Artist, and William Fay, the Local Baritone.

That wine is not essential to the enjoyment of a New Year's eve celebration was demonstrated at Hotel Oneonta Saturday evening, when a merry throng of a hundred people gathered and found keener pleasure in the frequent solo numbers rendered in a most captivating and artistic manner by Mabel Corlew, whose voice both for quality and clearness is rarely equaled by vocalists appearing in this city. Added to her voice, which she handled admirably and to the light of all, are rare personal charms, which combined made her every appearance a source of much pleasure to all the diners.

Supplementing the numbers of this gifted soloist, William Fay, a local baritone, whose voice has developed wonderfully since he first made a public appearance, was heard several times and each time was accorded applause, second only to that accorded to the grand opera singer. Caning's orchestra of ten pieces provided dance music for the evening's entertainment of the throng. At 11 o'clock it was augmented by the Strand theatre orchestra, and the combination made a musical organization such as one rarely hears here.

Some of the participants dined at 7 o'clock and remained throughout the evening, but the larger number arrived later and after dancing for a time, participated in the dinner served at 11 o'clock. The menu was a choice one and all partook with rest. Favours in the form of varied noisemaking implements were much used during the last hour before the new year dawned, and withal the celebration was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The return of Miss Corlew will be anticipated by all who heard her Saturday evening, as indeed will be the next event of its kind at The Oneonta.

Christmas at the Sanatorium.

Christmas for the patients at the Oneonta sanatorium was made cheerful through the thoughtfulness and generosity of some of the residents of our county.

Many thanks are extended to the entertainment committee and to those who furnished music or sent gifts to the hospital and the patients or in any way helped to make the Christmas season enjoyable. Dr. F. L. Winsor, superintendent.

Open house at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon. Everybody welcome. advt. 17

"Stream of Life" photoplay at the First Presbyterian church tonight, 7:30. A picture worth seeing. advt. 17

WILL ADDRESS SPORTSMEN

Chief Forester of State Conservation Commission Will Make Principal Address at Fish and Gun Club Dinner Friday Evening.

Charles R. Pettis, chief forester of the New York State Conservation commission, will make the principal address to the members of the Oneonta Fish and Gun club at the annual dinner of the organization to be held at the Windsor hotel on Friday evening. Several other local men will also speak on matters of interest to the sportsmen.

Through the courtesy of the hotel management the diners will be served with venison. Most Swart having been able to secure a quantity of that particularly appropriate meat. The other dishes will also be of a nature that will appeal to the club members. Caning's orchestra will furnish music during the meal and it is hoped to have selections by a local glee club.

As the dining room will accommodate but 120 guests, only that number of tickets will be available. Tickets at 51 each are now on sale at Bigelow's jewelry store, Goldthwaite's bookstore, the City Drug store and the Windsor hotel. Those wishing to attend should purchase their tickets at once.

Mothers' Club Meets Wednesday.

Meeting of the Mothers' club will be held at the First Baptist church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Members are requested to state any way they have been benefited by the club meetings. Do not forget to bring fruit and jelly for the Mt. Vision hospital. Reports of secretary and treasurer will be given. Please come prepared to pay dues.

Brother Elks, Attention!

Brother Elks are requested to meet at the club house Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. to attend the funeral of Brother Samuel Dorst. Services at the house at 2 p. m. Elks services at the grave. Brothers who can furnish autos are requested to be at club house not later than 1:40 p. m.

Farmer Post Installs.

The installation of officers for E. D. Farmer post, G. A. R., will occur tomorrow (Tuesday) at 2:30 in G. A. R. hall. It is hoped that there will be a good attendance.

Chickorell's barber shop, South Main street, below post office, open until noon today. Two chairs now in use. First class service always. advt. 17

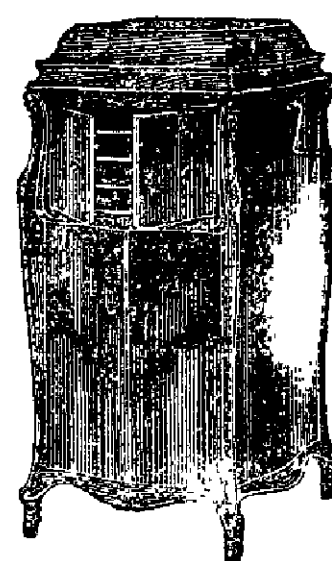
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Free skating for children in morning 10:00 to 12:00. Presents will be given to children in attendance. Dibble's rink. advt. 17

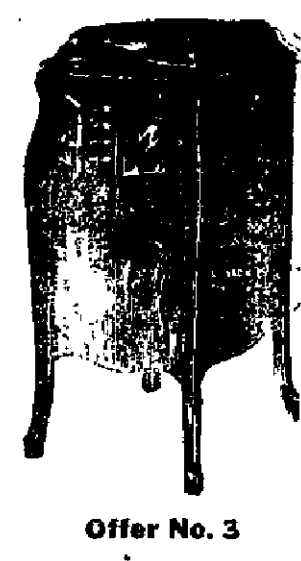
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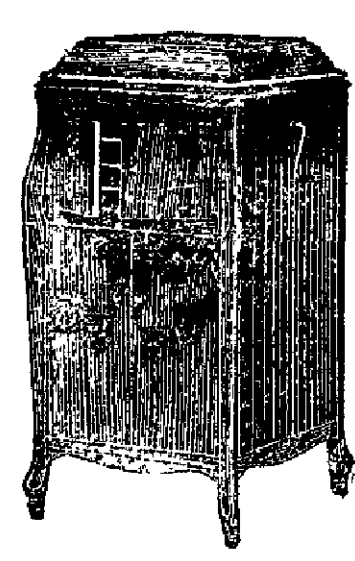
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2 10-in. Record Holders 1.00
1 12-in. Record Holder60
1 Record Brush15
1,000 Needles50
Total \$157.30

Outfit No. 2
No. 90, illustrated \$125.00
2 10-in. Red Seal Records 2.50
3 10-in. Double Face Records 2.55
2 10-in. Record Holders 1.00
1 12-in. Record Holder60
1 Record Brush15
1,000 Needles50
Total \$132.30

Outfit No. 3
No. 80, illustrated \$100.00
1 10-in. Red Seal Record 1.25
3 10-in. Double Face Records 2.55
1 10-in. Record Holder50
1 12-in. Record Holder60
1 Record Brush15
1,000 Needles50
Total \$105.55

Personal

L. D. Brown of this city is visiting relatives in Cobleskill for two or three days.

Miss Lucila Jackson of Treadwell is a guest for a few days of friends in Oneonta and Otego.

Miss Matilda Alutz of Oneida is spending a few days with Mrs. James Cleary, 29 Grand street.

Frank E. Neel departed yesterday afternoon for Cherry Valley for an overnight visit with his mother.

Supervisor and Mrs. George W. Ellis returned Saturday evening from a visit with friends in Kingston.

Miss Helen Fisher returned Friday from Otego, where she had been a guest of Miss Esther Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Crockett are spending the New Year with friends at their old home in Schenectady.

Frank Visher of 27 Dietz street left Saturday to visit his father, Frank Visher sr., in Schenectady.

Mrs. Charles S. Higgins departed on Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends in Utica, Oneida and Madison.

Mrs. M. H. Widger of Otego, who is recuperating from a long illness, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Rodley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tysart of Albany are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Carrie Whitney, 182 Chestnut street.

Mrs. H. A. Aber of Jamestown, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Davis, 22 High street, left for home Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Rose and son, Russell, have returned from a two weeks visit with relatives at her old home at Glens Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey C. Sackett left Saturday evening for a visit with relatives and friends in Bainbridge over New Year's.

Miss Helen Hewitt left Saturday to visit friends in Binghamton, and to attend the big Shriners' dance at Kalmar temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mulford and children of 21 Cherry street are spending the New Year with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roberts in Albany.

Miss Mary Burke, Donald Burke and Walter Burke Jr. of this city are guests for the day of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Nugent, in Albany.

Mrs. Wallace Hill of Cooperstown was a visitor in Oneonta Saturday.

Mrs. G. F. Soden is seriously ill at her home on Gauley avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Irish of Schenectady returned home yesterday after a brief sojourn with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lull at Cathedral farms.

Mr. and Mrs. David Laurie of 17 Pearl street left yesterday for a visit at the home of the latter's brother, Oakley Hanner, at Sharon Springs.

Miss Rena Abbott, who had been spending the holidays at her home in this city, left Sunday to resume her work in the public schools at Bloomfield, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fletcher returned last evening to their home in Elmira after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fletcher, 69 East street.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Pendleton, who have been spending the holidays with his parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Pendleton, leave today for their home in Rochester.

Miss Frederica Campbell, who is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. E. B. Fellows, at Nulley, N. J., is a holiday guest of Miss Esther Sherman at Otego.

Mr. and Mrs. Ursell Beach, who were recently married in Philadelphia, Pa., have been spending a few days with Oneonta friends. They returned to Ithaca on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Koch and daughter, Dorothy, returned yesterday Saturday from Carbondale, Pa., where for several days they had been guests of friends.

Mrs. Frank D. Edwards, who had been a guest for several days of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baird in this city, left Saturday for a further visit at her old home in Hornell.

Mr. Elsie L. Leland of the public schools of Schenectady returned to that city yesterday after a holiday sojourn with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Leland of 24 High street.

P. Passano of Johnstown, who had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Passano of 26 River street, returned home yesterday. Mrs. Passano is returning home as far as Albany.

Attorney Charles H. Clark of Bainbridge, whose duties keep him at Albany much of the time, was a weekend visitor at the home of Mrs. J. S. Lamb, where Mrs. Clark is a guest.

Mrs. H. A. Burgett, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gullins and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Thurgott are spending the New Year with the former's daughter, Mrs. Leon Langdon, in Worcester.

Mrs. John A. Roberts and her two children, Max and Florida of 241 Chestnut street, left Saturday evening to spend New Year's with Mrs. Robert's sister, Mrs. S. W. Branch, in Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Napier and daughter, Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fowler and daughter, Virginia, of this city, are guests for a day or two of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Napier at Schenectady.

Leonard Hall of Schenectady arrived in the city Saturday evening and was met here by his father, J. H. Hall, of this report, whom he accompanied home to spend New Year's at the parents' home.

Mrs. Charles Moore of this city returned Saturday from White, Cortland county, to which place she had accompanied the body of her sister, Mrs. E. R. Barry of New York, who died last week after a brief illness.

Miss Helen Dayton of the Treasury department at Washington, who had been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dayton of Davenport Center, left Sunday to resume her duties at the national capital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rose and daughter, of Mr. Vision and Mr. and Mrs. Van Sherman and two sons of Otego were in the city last evening on their way to their home from a New Year's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fayette DeLong at Portlandville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ottman of Binghamton, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Murdock, in East Oneonta, left Saturday morning for Cooperstown, where they will be guests today of the Murdock family reunion, which will be held at the home of W. H. Murdock.

Miss Dorothy VanDusen, who had been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James VanDusen of this city, returned yesterday to Syracuse, where she is a student of the university. Mrs. Harriet Miller of Albany, who had also been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. VanDusen, returned home last evening.

MRS. SARAH E. HAWVER.

Life-Long Resident of Milford and Vicinity Dies Sunday Morning.

Milford, Jan. 1.—Mrs. Sarah E. Hawver, wife of the late Boyce W. Hawver, who for many years was a leading merchant of Milford, died at four o'clock this (Sunday) morning at the home of her son, Milford B. Hawver, of this village. Her death followed a shock which she suffered two weeks ago today when on her way home from attending the burial service of her nephew, David Robinson in the cemetery here. Other shocks followed, and her peaceful end came today as above stated. The funeral services will be held at her late home at 2 p. m. on Tuesday. Her pastor, Rev. N. B. Ripley, will conduct the services and burial will be beside her husband in the family plot in the village cemetery.

Mrs. Hawver was a daughter of Samuel and Abigail (Haley) Brown of Milford township. Fifty years since she was married to Mr. Hawver, who died 25 years ago last Friday, and from the date of her marriage her home was always in Milford. She was a woman of noble qualities of mind and heart, a good friend, a loving mother and for many years a member of the Methodist Episcopal society and a faithful worker alike in church and Sunday School. Many outside the immediate family circle will grieve to learn of her death.

The deceased, who was 76 years of age, is survived by two sons, Charles B. Hawver of New York city and Milford B. Hawver, above named; also by one grandchild, Mrs. Achsah Shuman, of Kansas, and one brother, John Brownell, of Morris, who is the last surviving of the nine children of the family of Samuel Brownell.

MRS. VAN WOERT BURIED.

Obsequies of Esteemed Resident of Plains Largely Attended.

The funeral of Mrs. Nancy S. VanWoert, which was held at the Plains Methodist church at 2 p. m. yesterday, was largely attended by friends and neighbors who filled the church to overflowing as a token of their esteem for Mrs. VanWoert while living and as a tribute to her memory. The liking and respect in which the good woman was held was also testified by the profusion of flowers.

Reading as his text the seventh verse of the sixth chapter of First Timothy, "For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out," Rev. C. C. Volz, who officiated, preached a funeral sermon of power and deep understanding. In closing he read the familiar quotation, "I shall pass through this world but once. Any good, therefore, that I can do or any kindness that I can show to any human being let me do it now. Let me not defer or neglect it for I shall not pass this way again." That was Mrs. VanWoert's philosophy of life, said Mr. Volz. Always ready to lend a helping hand to everyone, she was one of the rare spirits of this earth.

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FORMER OTSEGO TEACHER.

Richard S. Thomas Dies December 26 in Florida Hospital.

Many friends in Otsego county will be grieved to learn of the death on December 26, at a hospital in Daytona, Fla., of Richard S. Thomas of Oneonta, Otsego. Mr. Thomas, who was a native of Worcester and was about 70 years of age, had been ill for some time and for four weeks had been in the hospital. Death was from heart failure, following Bright's disease. His body was taken last week to Cleveland for burial.

Mr. Thomas was a graduate of the Normal college, and after graduation taught successfully at Randolphville and Schenectady. From his principalship at the latter place he went to Ohio, where he was principal of the academy at Jefferson. Later he was principal of the schools at Warren and Akron in that state, but after a short time removed to Cleveland, where he founded the Euclid Avenue Trust company. For the past fifteen years, however, he had been engaged in the real estate business at Cleveland. Surviving him are his wife, formerly Miss Stella Saxton of Jefferson, Ohio, a niece of W. H. Saxton of this city, also a son, daughter and two grandchildren.

The last visit of Mr. Thomas to relatives in Otsego and elsewhere in this county was about two years ago. The parents of Mr. Thomas, who were named Schoenhoven, died many years ago leaving three children, who were adopted by relatives and assumed their names. They were E. S. Thomas, Calvin Northrup and Charles Carey, all of whom taught in this county and later in Ohio.

Card of Thanks.

The family of the late Mrs. Nancy VanWoert wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the many kind acts shown them in their recent bereavement.

Maxwell sedan, Studebaker six, five-passenger, Hupmobile, five-passenger, Buick, 1921; Maxwell, 1920; Maxwell, 1919 roadster; several light sixes; Maxwell, 1915, \$100. See us before buying! Stevens Hardware company, Inc. adv 21

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AFTER YEARS OF ILLNESS.

Ance B. Hawver Dies Friday Night at Home in This City.

Ance B. Hawver died at 11 o'clock this morning at his home, 432 Main street, in this city. His illness was of long duration, Mr. Hawver having suffered a shock about 18 years ago. From this he measurably recovered and was able to resume his former vocation; but seven years after, a second shock followed, and from that time he was practically confined to his home, though not entirely to his bed. A third shock followed about three weeks ago, and since then he had steadily failed until the peaceful end came on Friday.

The funeral service, which will be private, only relatives and intimate personal friends of the family being present, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon. His pastor, Rev. Mr. Deany, rector of St. James' Protestant Episcopal church, will officiate, and burial will be in the family plot at Glenwood.

Mr. Hawver was born in March, 1850, at Ames, Schoharie county, and was one of the seven children and the last to survive of John and Esther Hawver. Much of his earlier life was spent in Milford. In October, 1882, he was married to Miss Martha S. Mead of Mt. Vision, and 33 years ago the family moved to Oneonta, which was after his home in this city.

He was at first employed with the Oneonta Table company, and afterwards with the Delaware & Hudson company as a foreman in the lumber department of the local yards. He was a member of St. James' church and for several years was a faithful teacher in the Sunday school. He was also a member of the Protected Home circle of this city.

The surviving members of his family are his wife, above named, one son, Blyden C. Hawver, who resides at home; a daughter, Mrs. C. Edgar Reynolds; and two grandchildren, Dorothy May and Robert Allen Reynolds, all of this city. During his illness Mr. Hawver had the devoted care and attention of his wife, son and daughter, by whom everything possible was done to lighten his affliction.

Mr. Hawver was a man of upright character, of true Christian faith, devoted to his family and friends, and patient and uncomplaining beyond account during an illness of many years. He had many friends, the associates of his earlier years, who will long and lovingly remember one who has passed from these shadows into the eternal light.

Card of Thanks.

We thank our friends and neighbors for the very many acts of kindness during the illness and following the death of our wife and mother, John Hawver.

John Hawver.
Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman Anderson.



BETTY COMPSON, "Prisoners of Love" GOLDWIN

Pathways' Oneonta Theatre Today—20:30, 7 and 9 p. m.

The Whitney-Hunt Wedding.

Fred R. Whitney of 162 Chestnut street and Miss Anna Hunt of 421 Main street were married at 4 p. m. on Sunday, January 1, at the First Methodist Episcopal parsonage in this city. Rev. Dr. E. M. Johns officiated and the bride was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tompkins, the latter a sister of the bride. The bride was carried in a blue traveling gown with fur to match. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Whitney left on a wedding trip to Albany and Kingston. They will return late in the week and will be at home at 102 Chestnut street.

The groom, who is a son of Mrs. Carrie Whitney of this city, is a plumber by occupation and an employee of the Townsend Hardware company. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunt of Catskill and is a stenographer with the firm of Morris Brothers. Both are respected young people with many friends in the city who will extend congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Whitney.

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New Year's Day

(Monday, January 2)

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Everybody Invited

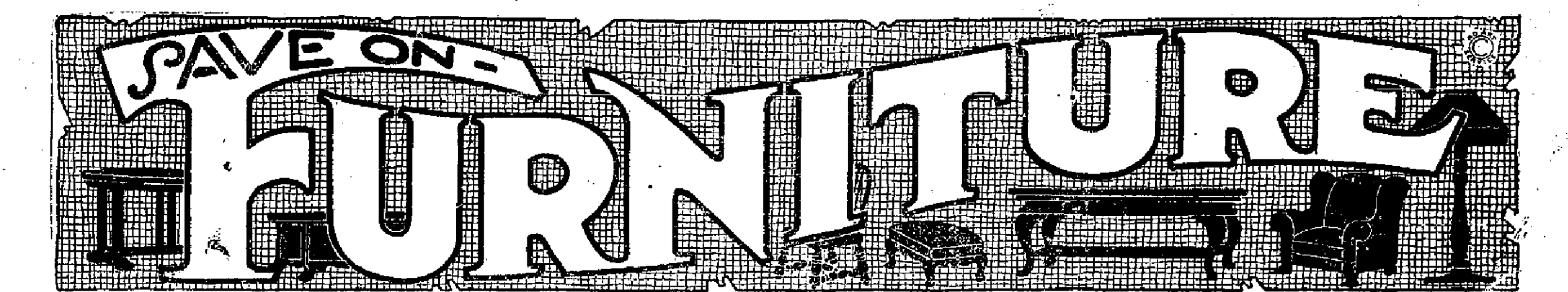
Remember that "The Stream of Life," a motion picture with a purpose, will be shown at the First Presbyterian Church this evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. This picture is above the ordinary class. All welcome. No admission charge.

NOTICE to Nash Owners

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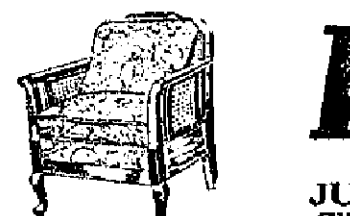
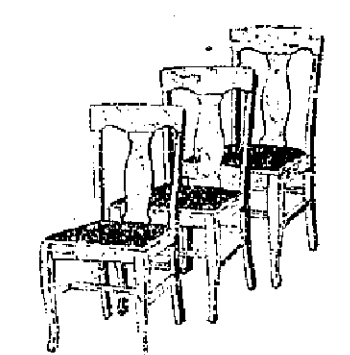
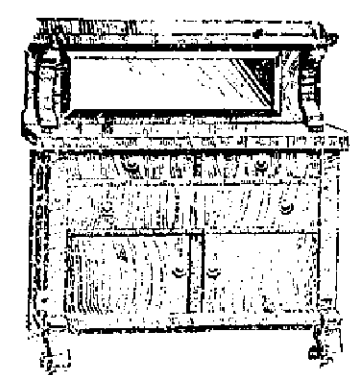
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On January 1st we shall adopt a cash selling plan. In inaugurating this new system we are enabled to offer our line of furniture at a considerably lower margin of profit. Here-to-fore it has been necessary to mark our goods at a profit that would offset the loss incident to the credit system. This extra profit has been most unfair, not only to those asking credit but decidedly so to those paying cash.

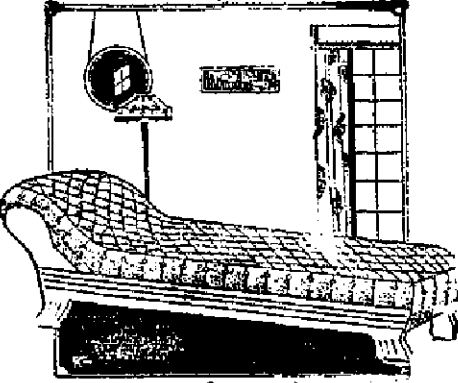
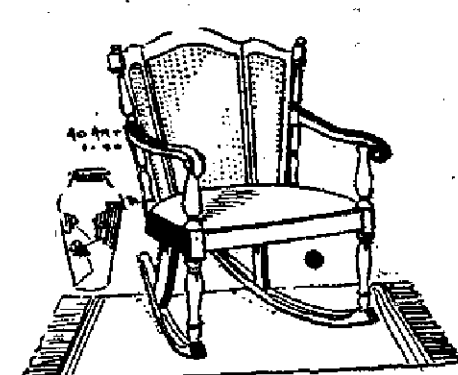
In order that our patrons may at once see the benefits derived by the cash system, we will

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We want you to come to the store and see for yourself the **EXTRAORDINARY VALUES**

Those in need of furniture should take advantage of this sale, as we are positive that our prices during this sale cannot be duplicated elsewhere.

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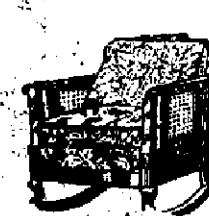


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PROMINENT BUILDER**WAS SAVED BORST, WHO DIED
SUDDENLY SATURDAY MORNING
OF ACUTE INDIGESTION.**

Funeral To Be Held Tuesday Afternoon from His Late Residence, 19 Maple Street, Rev. Dr. John M. Johnson, Pastor of the First Methodist Church, Officiating. Burial in the City Cemetery. The deceased was a prominent business and professional man, and a member of the Board of Public Works of this city.

Samuel Borst, who died at his residence, 19 Maple Street, at 59 o'clock Saturday morning, of acute indigestion after a meal of indigestible food, was a prominent business and professional man, and a member of the Board of Public Works of this city. He was a native of Germany, and came to this country in 1880. He was a member of the Board of Public Works of this city, and was a prominent business and professional man. He was a member of the Board of Public Works of this city, and was a prominent business and professional man.

The last illness of Mr. Borst was of short duration. He had not been feeling well for a couple of days when on Friday at about 11 o'clock his rugged tenacity surrendered to a serious condition physically and he went to his home and called a physician. He was suffering intense pains about the abdomen and so severe were they that the physician first to arrive administered hypodermics to ease his pain and remedies to relieve the severe attack of acute indigestion, from which he was evidently suffering. Late in the afternoon it was thought that he was somewhat easier and during the early part of the night he had frequent sleep. At 1 o'clock his condition was more critical and his wife, who had remained constantly at his bedside, resorted to administer remedies for the emergency. He was nauseated and it was almost impossible for him to swallow the medicine. He was badly bloated and at 1:30 he made an effort to sit up and vomit from the stomach but sank back in his wife's arms and expired almost instantly. His heart had evidently been unable to withstand longer the pressure upon it.

Comparatively few were aware of his condition, even his business associates not understanding the seriousness of his ailment and his death was a great surprise to all when on Saturday morning it became known. Widespread were the expressions of regret and of sympathy for the family.

Funeral services are to be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, Rev. Dr. E. M. Johnson, the family pastor, will officiate and interment will be made in the Fairview cemetery.

Mr. Borst was born at Middleburgh, Schoharie county, July 6, 1866, the son of Stephen and Martha L. Borst, but most of his early life was passed in the town of Meriden, where he grew to manhood and developed those sturdy traits that were to bring success during his active life. There he was united in marriage with Miss Adelle Wolfe, who had been a resident of Oneonta, but who after her graduation from the Oneonta High school in June, 1890, removed to Meriden. The marriage was solemnized December 24, 1886.

Nine years later they removed to Oneonta and this city has since been their home. During six of the nine years, Mr. Borst had been engaged with Briggs & Miller, then well known contractors here, as foreman. He remained with that firm only a few months after his family removed here. He then formed a partnership with Frank McFee, under the firm name of McFee & Borst, and embarked in the contracting and building business, being located first in the old Metropolitan theatre building on Dietz street and later buying the mill and plant of the Woodin estate on Market street, where the firm has since been located, doing a large business.

Possessed of exceptional ability as a carpenter and builder, he became proficient as an architect, by means of a course taken by correspondence, and when the late K. E. Morgan acquired the Emmons homestead at Emmons and commenced the development of that attractive country place, Mr. Borst was commissioned to prepare the plans for not only the residence, but all other buildings. They were also erected under his personal supervision, standing today as a monument to his ability both as an architect and as a builder. He also prepared the plans for the residences of St. E. Ford, W. F. Eggleston and B. F. Morris and supervised their erection. He built many others, including that of Mrs. Dorman Baldwin. The difficult task of rebuilding the Oneonta theatre to its present dimensions and under conditions that required expert knowledge has perhaps resulted in a severe tax upon his assumed strong physical powers.

Mr. Borst was a member of the Oneonta lodge of Elks, of Odd Fellows, and of the Masons, and was an attendant of the First Methodist church. He had been for some years a member of the board of public works and more recently was its chairman, giving much time and thought to the work of that important department of the city government. He was devoted in his devotion to his business and to an equal extent fond of and devoted to his home.

Surviving him are the wife, two daughters, Alice and Anna, students and at home, one brother, Lewis S. Borst of Albany, and four sisters, Mrs. Mary Brewer of South Side, Mrs. P. W. Miller of Altamont, but formerly of and well-known in Oneonta, and Mrs. Howard Briggs and Mrs. George Cornwell, both of Binghamton.

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FLOYD TERRELL INJURED

Young Man Well Known Here Is Patient at Rochester Hospital, Suffering With Double Fracture of Head, Broken Wrist, and Other Injuries.

Floyd T. Terrell, whose home is in this city and who is well known here, is a patient in the general hospital at Rochester, suffering from a double fracture of the left leg, a broken wrist, and other injuries.

Neither relatives nor friends of the young man have received full details of the accident, which occurred on Wednesday, December 11. He has been in the employ of a concern at Rochester, conveying from various jobs to his home, and it is thought that while at work putting down some roofing, he lost his balance and fell to the ground. He is better to his mother, Mrs. Sarah Terrell of 27 Spruce Street, he said that he had fallen a distance of 25 feet.

According to the hospital surgeons, Terrell's most serious injury is a double fracture of the left leg. His other injuries consist of right ankle sprained, left wrist sprained and right wrist fractured. He has made good progress since entering the hospital, and all prospects point to his complete recovery. The injured foot is in a plaster cast, and as soon as his wounds are sufficiently healed, Terrell will be able to sit up about on crutches. He will probably remain in the hospital for some time yet.

Terrell spent last summer at his home here, and has many friends who are glad that it had no critical or fatal outcome, as could have been the case.

Chase and Osborn is a sign of the Century Trust, alt. 27.

BOY ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Frank Naylor, of Worcester, Light Years Old, Suffered Abdominal Injury—Portion of Intestine Removed.

Frank Naylor, son of Tony Naylor, an Italian residing at Worcester, was brought Saturday afternoon by Dr. Root and Palmer Riley of that village to the Personal Hospital in this city, where he underwent an operation for a gunshot wound in the abdomen. The lad, who is only eight years old, was in the back yard of his father's home, where a cousin was shooting at a mark.

Part of one's way got in front of the target just as the rifle was discharged. The operation, which was performed by Dr. Brinkman, assisted by Drs. Lathrop and Holt, revealed no less than seven punctures of the small intestine, one portion of which was so badly shattered that resection was necessary, a portion of the intestine about six inches long being removed. There were four other perforations which it was possible to close. The bullet, which entered a little to the right of the navel, still remains in the body.

The condition of the lad is as favorable as could be expected, considering the shock to the system and the very considerable loss of blood. By his physicians it is believed that he has at least a fighting chance for recovery. The boy is one of a family of five children.

For sale—33 acre farm, one mile of the state road, seven cows, one horse, farming tools, gasoline engine, silo, good buildings, furnace in house, and running water. Price \$4,200. cash \$2,000. Would trade for city property. Alfred Butch, Oneonta Real Estate Agency, 35 Clinton Street, alt. 27.

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